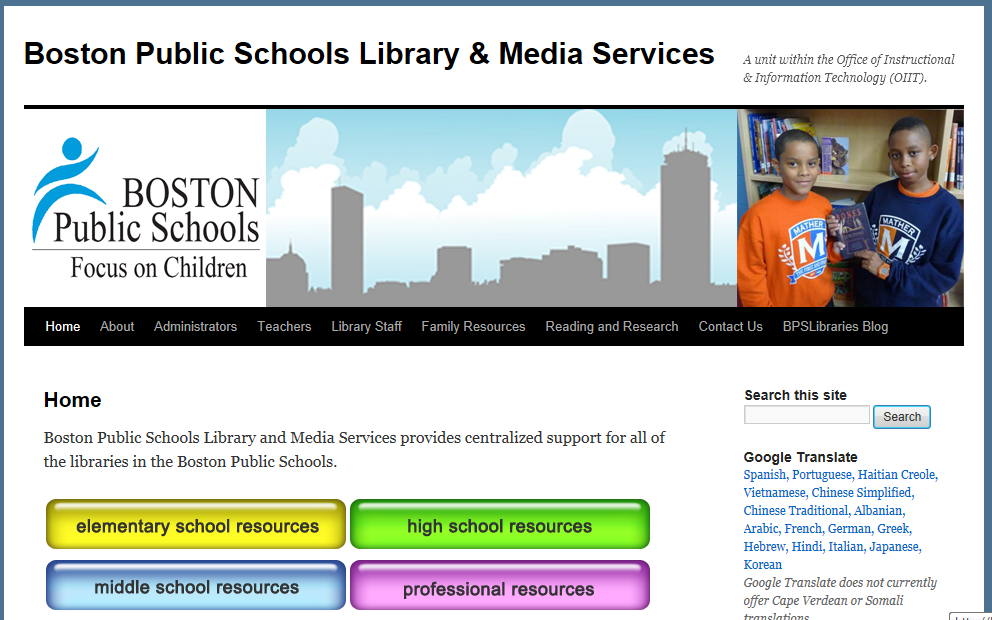
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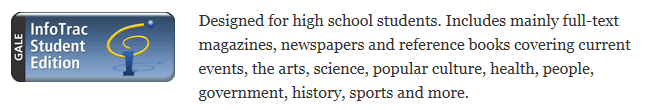
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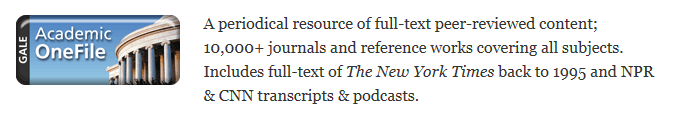
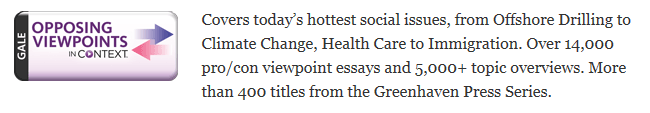
DIRECTIONS: The purpose of today’s internet exploration is for you to find at least one article to share with your group about your PAR subject. Please follow the step-by-step directions below in order to access the Boston Public Schools library database.

**Step 1** – Open an internet browser and type <http://bpslibraries.org> into the address bar

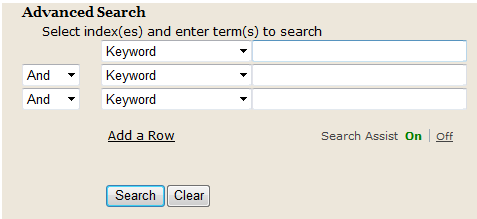
**Step 2** – Click on the green “high school resources” tab on that page

**Step 3** – Click on any of the three tabs listed below…





**Step 4** – Keyword Search



These databases will ask you to type in keywords on which to base your search

You can limit your search to just one word or term or you can expand it to include many more

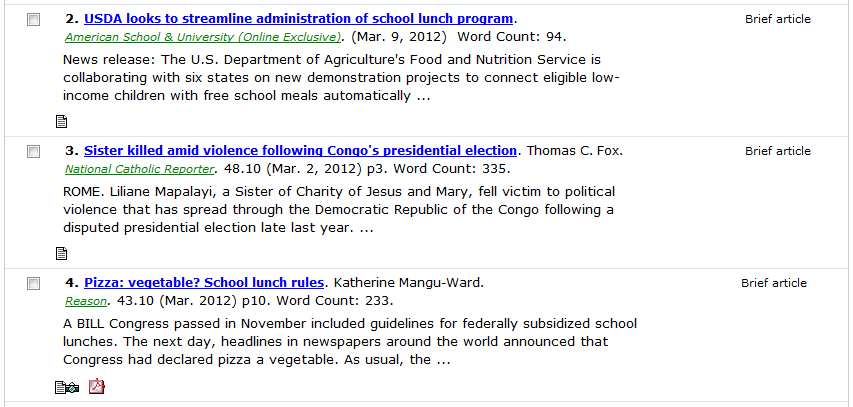
If you don’t get many good results on your first attempt, try typing in other related terms

For instance, if your topic is *youth jobs*, you may also want to include terms like *student*, *employment*, *unemployment*, *high school*, *joblessness*, *college*, *preparation*, or *program.*

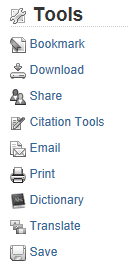
HINT: When you begin to type in keywords, the website may generate a list of possible terms for you. Be sure to say attention to those as they may be helpful!!!

**Step 5** – Choosing an Article

Some results will be helpful to your PAR research

Be sure to review your results to make sure they are related to your subject!!!

Others will not…

**Step 6** – Read Your Article

Read over your article – or at least skim it – to make sure that it is related to your PAR subject. It could be a report about how other schools have dealt with your problem, it could be a discussion or a national trend, or it could one author’s suggestion of how to fix the problem.

**Step 7** – Print and Email

Once you have found an article that will be useful for your PAR research, print a copy **AND** email it to yourself. Each of the databases should have those options in the right-hand column in the “Tools” bar.

**Step 8** – If you finish early…

You should begin to read and annotate your article. Be prepared to teach the other people in your group about what you found. You must hand in your article to Mr. Mahegan before the end of the period.